

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Timothy S. DeBruine et al.
Serial No. 09/814,426
Filed: 03/21/2001

Examiner: Michael A. Delgado
Art Unit: 2144

For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR OPTIMIZING PRIVATE NETWORK FILE
TRANSFERS IN A PUBLIC PEER-TO-PEER NETWORK**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 24, 2006

In response to the office action mailed May 24, 2006, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks. Please find enclosed the payment of \$320.00 for a one-month extension of time (\$120.00) and the addition of four dependent claims (\$200.00). If any additional fees are required in association with this response, the Director is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 50-1732, and consider this a petition therefor.